



NORTHWESTERN INDIANA TELEPHONE

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To Irene Flannery  
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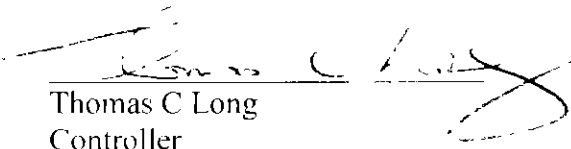
Marlene H. Dortch  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re CC Docket No 96-45

This is to certify that Northwestern Indiana Telephone Company will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I authorize this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is provided for all study areas under the common control of the company, and which are listed below and in attachments as necessary.

Signed,

  
Thomas C Long  
Controller

Date: 9-3-03

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Company Name

Northwestern Indiana Telephone Company, Inc

State

IN

Study Area Number

320800

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